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PRELIMINARY OAK NO. 1, MISSION 1049-2, DETAILS TO FOLLOW IN A LATER OAK EDITION.

THIS IS A PRELIMINARY OAK CABLE BASED ON AN INITIAL SCAN OF PHOTOGRAPHY FROM KH-4 MISSION 1049-2, DATED 18-23 DECEMBER 1968. ANALYSIS IS CONTINUING.

1. ONLY THREE SOVIET ICBM COMPLEXES, DOMBAROVSKIY, SVOBODNYI, ZHANGIZ-TOBE, ARE OBSERVED. A PRELIMINARY SCAN REVEALS NO NEW SITES.

2. THE TYURATAM MISSILE TEST CENTER IS COVERED. BOTH GANTRIES ARE ON THE PADS AT LAUNCH AREA G3-4, AND THE LAUNCH VEHICLE REMAINS ON PAD J-1.

3. AN SA-3 SAM SITE UNDER CONSTRUCTION IS NEWLY IDENTIFIED OF YEVPATORIYA, USSR, AT 45-19-20N 033-01-55E. THE SITE IS DESIGNATED YEVPATORIYA SAM SITE B-30-3.

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5. PORTIONS OF CHINA ARE COVERED ON 14 PASSES OF APPROXIMATELY 65 PERCENT CLOUD-FREE PHOTOGRAPHY OF FAIR INTERPRETABILITY.

NO NEW CONSTRUCTION IS DISCERNIBLE NEAR GZ-2 OF THE LOP NOR TEST SITE, CHINA. PHOTOGRAPHY OF POOR INTERPRETABILITY REVEALS NO SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN THE NUMBER AND LOCATION OF TENTS AT THE TEST SITE SINCE

PHOTOGRAPHY OF WUSHATALA AIRFIELD, TWO PROBABLE BEAGLE, FOUR CAB, NINE SMALL SWEPT-WING AIRCRAFT, ONE POSSIBLE SMALL AIRCRAFT, AND TWO LIGHT STRAIGHT-WING AIRCRAFT ARE VISIBLE. AT LEAST THREE POSSIBLE TENTS ARE NEW

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TWO BADGER AIRCRAFT ARE OBSERVED AT HSIAN AIRFRAME PLANT YENLIANG 172, AND ONE BADGER IS OBSERVED AT WUKUNG AIRFIELD. BOTH AIRFIELDS ARE ON THE SAME PASS OF PHOTOGRAPHY PRIOR TO THIS COVERAGE, ONLY TWO BADGER HAD BEEN OBSERVED IN CHINA. THIS INCREASE MAY INDICATE THAT PLANT 172 IS IN AN EARLY STAGE OF BADGER PRODUCTION.

6. APPROXIMATELY 65 PERCENT OF NORTH KOREA IS COVERED BY POOR- TO GOOD-QUALITY PHOTOGRAPHY THAT IS APPROXIMATELY 65 PERCENT CLOUD FREE.

A VESSEL APPROXIMATING THE SIZE AND PREVIOUS POSITION OF THE U.S.S. PUEBLO IS OBSERVED AT THE NAJIN NAVAL FACILITY. SCALE AND INTERPRETABILITY PRECLUDE POSITIVE IDENTIFICATION.

NO NEW SAM ACTIVITY OR MILITARY MOVEMENT OR BUILDUP ARE OBSERVED.

7. APPROXIMATELY 80 PERCENT OF NORTH VIETNAM IS COVERED ON THREE PASSES OF PHOTOGRAPHY OF FAIR TO GOOD INTERPRETABILITY. NO SURFACE-TO-SURFACE MISSILES OR NEW SAM ACTIVITY ARE OBSERVED.

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8. BEIRUT INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, LEBANON, IS OBSERVED ON PHOTOGRAPHY OF [REDACTED] THE FOLLOWING COMMERCIAL-TYPE AIRCRAFT ARE OBSERVED: TWO 707-TYPE, SIX PROBABLE COMET, ONE BAC 111-TYPE, SIX LIGHT STRAIGHT-WING AIRCRAFT, AND ONE POSSIBLE SMALL STRAIGHT-WING AIRCRAFT.

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9. THE FOLLOWING IS A LIST OF THE TARGETS REPORTED ABOVE, WITH THEIR COUNTRY CODE, GEOGRAPHIC COORDINATES, AND BE NUMBER WHERE ASSIGNED.

DOMBAROVSKIY ICBM COMPLEX	UR 50-58-18N 059-44-40E
SVOBODNYI ICBM COMPLEX	UR 51-52-00N 128-16-00E
ZHANGIZ-TOBE ICBM COMPLEX	UR 49-13-00N 081-09-00E
TYURATAM MISSILE TEST CENTER	UR 45-56-40N 063-28-00E
YEVPATORIYA SAM SITE B30-3	UR 45-19-20N 033-01-55E

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WUSHATALA AIRFIELD	CH 42-10-32N 087-12-00E
HSIAN AIRFRAME PLANT YENLIANG 172	CH 34-38-21N 109-13-54E
WUKUNG AIRFIELD	CH 34-16-39N 108-15-53E
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